The Honorable Benjamin H. Settle 1 2 3 4 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 8 AT TACOMA 9 EAGLE HARBOR HOLDINGS, LLC, and 10 MEDIUSTECH, LLC, Case No. 3:11-cv-05503-BHS 11 Plaintiffs, **DECLARATION OF GENEVIEVE** 12 VOSE IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS' OPPOSITION TO v. 13 FORD'S MOTION FOR FORD MOTOR COMPANY, JUDGMENT ON THE PLEADINGS 14 OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, TO 15 **COMPEL SUPPLEMENTAL** Defendant. **INFRINGEMENT CONTENTIONS** 16 17 18 19 I, GENEVIEVE VOSE, declare as follows: 20 1. I am an active member of the State Bar of Washington and an attorney with 21 the law firm of Susman Godfrey L.L.P. I am one of the attorneys representing Eagle Harbor 22 Holdings, LLC and MediusTech, LLC ("Plaintiffs") in this matter. I am over the age of 18 23 24 and competent to testify to the facts stated herein. 25 2. I was part of a team of attorneys who prepared Plaintiffs' infringement 26 contentions. In addition to reviewing publicly available information concerning the Accused 27 Systems, we reviewed technical documentation produced by Ford. Ford first produced 28 SUSMAN GODFREY L.L.P. DECLARATION OF G. VOSE Case No. 3:11-cv-05503-BHS

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SUSMAN GODFREY L.L.P. 1201 Third Avenue, Suite 3800 Seattle, WA 98101-3000 Tel: (206) 516-3880; Fax: (206) 516-3883 documents on December 23, 2011, two days before Christmas. The vast majority of those

documents were irrelevant to Plaintiffs' requests for technical documentation related to the

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Accused Systems. Instead, they were patents and other patent-related documents presumably references that Ford will allege are prior art. 3. After the December 23 production, Ford produced a small quantity of additional documents, due to specific follow-up requests from Plaintiffs' counsel.

- 4. Ford's production of technical documents remains incomplete. The majority of the technical documents produced by Ford date from the 2007-2008 time period, and therefore do not document any changes that the Accused Systems underwent after that time period. In addition, Ford has yet to produce any software or computer code relating to the Accused Systems. Because of these deficiencies, Plaintiffs are unable to specify some of the details Ford has requested in its motion.
- 5. Notwithstanding these deficiencies, Plaintiffs served their infringement contentions in accordance with the Court's scheduling order on February 2, 2012. True and correct copies of Plaintiffs' infringement contentions are attached as Exhibits 1 to 12 to this Declaration. Plaintiffs received a letter from Ford on supposed problems with Plaintiffs' contentions on February 15, 2012. Plaintiffs responded on February 23, 2012. After that response, Plaintiffs heard nothing further on the matter for the next month.
- 6. I received a telephone call from Todd Zubler, counsel for Ford, at about 11:00 a.m. on March 22, 2012, the day that Ford filed the present motion. Mr. Zubler indicated that he was calling to "confirm" that the parties were at an impasse concerning Plaintiffs' infringement contentions and said that Ford intended to file a motion for judgment on the pleadings and in the alternative to compel. I said that I would reach out to the rest of

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Plaintiffs' litigation team as to whether we were at an impasse and get back to Mr. Zubler. Some of the attorneys on Plaintiffs' litigation team were not available that day.

- 7. Mr. Zubler called again a few hours later and left a voicemail letting me know, for the first time, that Ford intended to file its motion that day. After learning that, I requested a meet and confer three separate times, explaining that the Rules require such a meet and confer and that Plaintiffs were willing to engage in the type of dialogue that the Rules contemplate. Ford filed its motion nonetheless. True and correct copies of the correspondence from that afternoon are attached as Exhibits 13 to 17 to this Declaration.
- 8. Even after Ford filed its motion, Plaintiffs made an additional offer to compromise in an attempt to keep the case on the schedule the Court has ordered. Though Plaintiffs are not required to marshal their evidence through their infringement contentions, Plaintiffs offered to supplement them to identify supporting documents. Plaintiffs also suggested a time table for doing so, including a commensurate extension of time for Ford to serve its non-infringement and invalidity contentions. But Ford refused that offer and continues to press its motion. True and correct copies of the correspondence concerning Plaintiffs' offer to compromise are attached as Exhibits 18 to 19 to this Declaration.
- 9. Attached as Exhibit 20 is a true and correct copy of docket number 60, Order Denying Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel in the matter styled *Chassidy F. Lucas v. Joe Camacho, et al.*, No. C11-5350BHS (W.D. Wash. Sept. 8, 2011).
- 10. Attached as Exhibit 21 is a true and correct copy of docket number 82, Order Regarding Fees in the matter styled *Chassidy F. Lucas v. Joe Camacho, et al.*, No. C11-5350BHS (W.D. Wash. Oct. 17, 2011).

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7	DATED this 9th day of April, 2012, at Seattle, Washington.
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3	Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all
4	counsel of record who receive CM/ECF notification.
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